



PATENT

I hereby certify that on the date specified below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

April 24, 2000
Date

Kristine K Houston
Kristine K. Houston

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

#11K
JMR

Applicants : Bruno Murari, Benedetto Vigna, and Paolo Ferrari
Application No. : 09/100,838 ✓
Filed : June 19, 1998 ✓
For : HERMETICALLY-SEALED SENSOR WITH A MOVABLE MICROSTRUCTURE

Examiner : Helen C. Kwok
Art Unit : 2856
Docket No. : 851063.425
Date : April 24, 2000

Box Non-Fee Amendment
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

RECEIVED

MAY 05 2000

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the first Office Action mailed January 24, 2000, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1-6, and 12-20 as follows:

A